P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, the hospitals of the State of South Dakota and their staffs constitute an important bulwark for the protection of the health and lives of the people of the state; and

WHEREAS, they can do their best work only when the patients, the patients' families and friends, and the people of the community understand and are sympathetic with the benevolent aims, purposes, and methods of such hospitals; and

WHEREAS, these aims, purposes and methods often seem strange or possibly harsh to the layman until and unless he shall have made himself acquainted with the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Harlan J. Bushfield, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby designate the birth of Florence Nightingale, May 12, 1941, as

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to be observed by all the people of South Dakota, and I therefore urge the people to accept the cordial invitation which has been extended to them to visit and inspect the hospital or hospitals of their community, in order that they may make themselves acquainted with the services that are offered by these institutions and that they may be better able to understand the great work they are doing in alleviating human suffering.

DONE AT THE CAPITOL, in the City of Pierre, this 2nd day of May, 1941.

Governor

ATTEST:
Secretary of State

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